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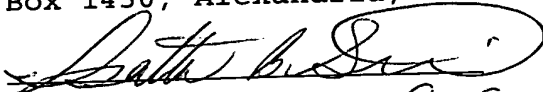
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TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Sir:

Transmitted herewith is a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement. This Statement is submitted after the mailing date of the first Office Action on the merits, but before the mailing date of any of a final Office Action, a Notice of Allowance, or an Office Action that otherwise closes prosecution. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(c) and 1.17(p), the Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the \$180.00 fee required in connection with this Statement.

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Deposit Account No. 06-1075, Order No. (000977-0002). A duplicate copy of this letter is transmitted herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97,  
applicant hereby makes the following documents of record  
in the above-identified patent application:

	<u>US Patent Documents</u>	
Dobras	3,891,829	06/24/1975
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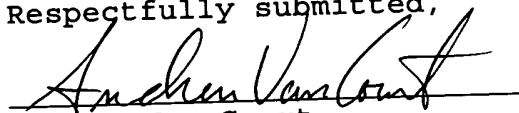
The aforementioned documents are listed on the  
accompanying Form PTO/SB/08a (submitted in duplicate).

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(ii) copies of the documents are not enclosed herewith. It is respectfully requested that these references be: (1) fully considered by the Patent and Trademark Office during examination of this application; and (2) printed on any patent that may issue on this application. Applicant requests that a copy of Form PTO/SB/08a, as considered and initialed by the Examiner, be returned with the next communication in accordance with MPEP §§ 609 and 2001.06(b).

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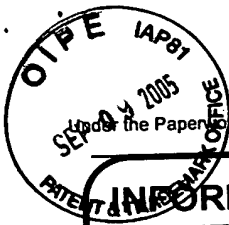
Consideration of the foregoing in relation to this patent application is respectfully requested.

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